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- 1. FOR LIMA: PLEASE CLARIFY ARTICLE 8 OF ANNEX IIITO LIMA PROTOCOL WITH RESPECT TO PORTION READING "LOS GRAV-AMENES RESTANTES, DESPUES DE LA REDUCCION HECHA EL 31 DE DIEIEMBRE DE 1975..." IT HAS BEEN OUR UNDERSTANDING THAT AUTOMATIC DUTY REDUCTIONS WERE NOT MADE ON DECEMBER 31 1975. PLEASE CONSULT APPROPRIATE AUTHORITIES TO DETERMINE WHETHER THE 1975 REDUCTION WAS OR HAS BEEN PLACED IN EFFECT AND ADVISE. IF NOT, ADVISE WHEN THIS CUT WILL BE MADE AND THE SCHEDULE OF DEADLINES FOR ELIMINATING DUTIES SUBJECT TO AUTOMATIC REDUCTION PROGRAM.
- 2. ADVISE IF HOST COUNTRY HAS INSTITUTED
 DECEMBER 1975 DUTY REDUCTION OR IF ACTION IS PLANNED IN
 NEAR FUTURE. ALSO ADVISE WHEN DECEMBER 1976 SIX PERCENT
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